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1. Danish Embassy contact briefed us April 10
on character of Deputy Foreign Minister Ostergaard's
April 6 demarche to Argentine Ambassador to Denmark
Enrique Vieyra. The six-point agreed text cited
specific concern for citizens of European Community
who have disappeared or been detained without charge
and general concern for human rights in Argentina
for all persons living here. Text cited recent

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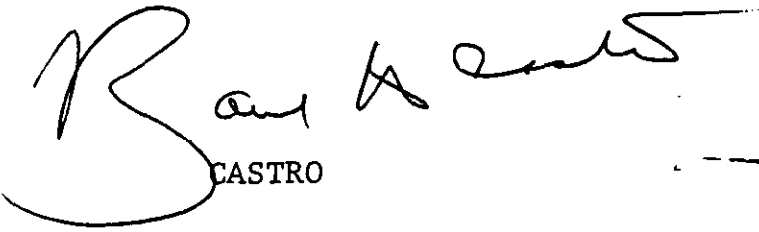
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improvements including Christmas amnesty, and took note of Argentine statements that war against terrorism is almost won. Last text available here cited no numbers, but 21 detained EC nation citizens (including the convicted, the untried and persons held without charge) and 58 disappeareds tallies with accounting done by Danish Embassy here.

2. Danish Ambassador in Buenos Aires called on Foreign Ministry's Western European Division Chief, Enrique Lupiz, to underline EC concern.

3. Accounts of the Ostergaard-Vieyra conversation were carried by several papers here, citing AP sources. Stories described the meetings as cordial.


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